CALIFORNIA BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES LICENSING / EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MAY 18, 2000

(Approved August 25, 2000)

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS 400 R STREET, SUITE 1030 SACRAMENTO, CA

MEMBERS PRESENT

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Karen Pines, MFT, Committee Chair Marsena Buck, LCSW Member Christina Chen, Public Member Virginia Laurence, LCSW Member

STAFF PRESENT

GUEST LIST ON FILE

Sherry Mehl, Executive Officer LaVonne Powell, Legal Counsel Julie McAuliffe, Administrative Analyst Debra Stiger, MFT Evaluator

The meeting was called to order at 3:10 p.m.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MARSENA BUCK MOVED, CHRISTINA CHEN SECONDED, AND THE COMMITTEE CONCURRED TO RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF THE FEBRUARY 3, 2000 MINUTES.

Ms. Pines mentioned that the Board would be receiving a presentation on distance learning at the full Board meeting on May 19, 2000.

2. REVIEW OF STRATEGIC PLAN PERFORMANCE MEASURES

The Committee reviewed the current performance measures. There were no changes recommended.

Ms. Pines questioned the status of objective number four. This status indicated that a subcommittee had been formed to receive input from professional associations, licensees, interns, associates, and administrators regarding clarifying definitions and setting standards for qualified, trained supervisors. Ms. Mehl explained that the LCSW Supervision and Training Committee had been formed in compliance with Senate bill 1983. She then indicated that the Board would be discussing and possibly forming a committee to review the marriage and

family therapy schools at the Board meeting on May 19, 2000. Also, this committee may want to review the current laws and regulations related to supervisors' responsibility and experience requirements and make any changes as necessary.

Ms. Pines then questioned the status of the development of the continuing education audits. Ms. Mehl stated that the procedures have been created and staff is currently working on implementation. Ms. Mehl will keep the Committee updated on the progress.

The meeting adjourned at 3:15 p.m.